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RE: Humboldt Bay ISFSI (Docket No. 72-27)

This letter is in response to a request for cultural or historical information we received from you on June 13, 2005. The Tribe believes that some of our cultural resources will be adversely impacted if a spent fuel storage facility is constructed at the Humboldt Bay Power plant location. The Tribe is therefore opposed to such a project at that location. Please give us a call if you wish to discuss further the Tribe's position on the matter. You can contact Edwin Smith, our Cultural Liaison, at (707) 733-1900.

Sincerely,

  
George Brenard, for  
Edwin Smith,  
Cultural Liaison